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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Hirohisa KIKUYAMA et al.)
Serial No. 09/622,397) Art Group: 1765
Filed: August 16, 2000)
Accepted: December 1, 2000)
Title: SURFACE TREATING FOR) Examiner: CHEN, KIN CHAN
MICROMACHINING AND METHOD)
FOR SURFACE TREATMENT)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

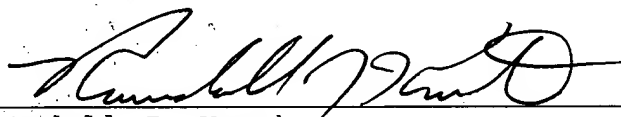
Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing of the Response in the above-entitled application for two months from January 10, 2003 to March 10, 2003.

Applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of Four Hundred and Ten Dollars (\$410) which covers the Extension of Time Fee Required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,


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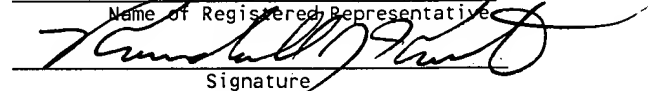
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